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TAGS: PARM, CCD
SUBJECT: CCD: IAEA REQUEST FOR OBSERVER AT CCD SESSIONS ON CTB

1. SUMMARY: US AND SOVIET CO-CHARIMEN WILL RECOMMEND TO CCD
EARLY NEXT WEEK THAT IT TAKE DECISION TO INVITE IAEA TO HAVE
AN OBSERVER AT SESSIONS ON CTB, RESPONDING TO LETTER FROM
IAEA DEPDIRGEN.

2. USREP, ON MARCH 15, RECEIVED MARCH 10 LETTER FROM JOHN
HALL, DEPDIRGEN IAEA, ADDRESSED TO USREP IN CAPACITY AS CO-
CHAIRMAN OF CCD, ASKING WHETHER IAEA COULD SEND OBSERVER TO
CCD SESSIONS ON CTB. LETTER INDICATED COPY SENT TO UNSYG
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SPECIAL REP TO CCD, FINNISH AMB HYVARINEN, BUT NOT TO SOVIET
CO-CHAIRMAN. USREP QUERIED HYVARININ'S ALTERNATE,
CORRADINI, PRIOR TO OPENING OF CCD PLENARY ON MORNING
OF MARCH 15 RE PRECEDENTS FOR INVITING REPRESENTATIVES
OF SPECIALIZED AGENCIES TO ATTEND CCD SESSIONS.
CORRADINI NOTED THERE WERE PRECEDENTS IN INVITING SUCH
REPRESENTATIVES TO COME AND MAKE STATEMENTS, RATHER

THAN PARTICIPATE IN DISCUSSIONS, AS IN LAST YEAR'S
INFORMAL MEETINGS ON ENMOD CONVENTION.

3. USREP THEN RAISED THE SUBJECT WITH SOVIET AMB
LIKHACHEV, NOTING THAT HE THOUGHT THERE SHOULD BE AN
AFFIRMATIVE RESPONSE TO IAEA REQUEST, IF SOVIET REP
SAW NO DIFFICULTY. KIKHACHEV HAD ALSO RECEIVED
LETTER, ADDRESSED TO HIM SEPARATELY, IN HIS CAPACITY AS
CCD CO-CHAIRMAN. HE AGREED THAT CCD HAD A PRECEDENT
IN INVITING SPECIALIZED AGENCIES REPRESENTATIVES; AGREED
IAEA HAD A SPECIAL INTEREST IN CTB. EVEN THOUGH HAVING
AN OBSERVER PRESENT THROUGHOUT THE INFORMAL SESSIONS
WOULD BE SOMEWHAT NEW, LIKHACHEV THOUGHT THAT WE
SHOULD, AS CO-CHAIRMEN, TAKE A POSITIVE ATTITUDE TOWARDS
THIS REQUEST AND RECOMMEND, AS CO-CHAIRMEN, THAT THE
CCD TAKE A DECISION TO INVITE IAEA. HE AGREED WITH
USREP'S SUGGESTION THIS BE DONE EARLY NEXT WEEK WHEN
PLENARIES EXPECT TO RETURN TO THOSE QUESTIONS OF PROCEDURE
AND ORGANIZATION, WHICH MEMBERS MAY WISH TO RAISE.

4. USREP ADVISED WESTERN GROUP REPS, AT MEETING MORNING

OR MARCH 16, REGARDING ABOVE. ALL AGREED WITH VIEWS
OF SOVIET AND USREPS.

5. USDEL WILL ADVISE USMISSION VIENNA ONCE CCD ACTS
ON THIS MATTER. SORENSON

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